

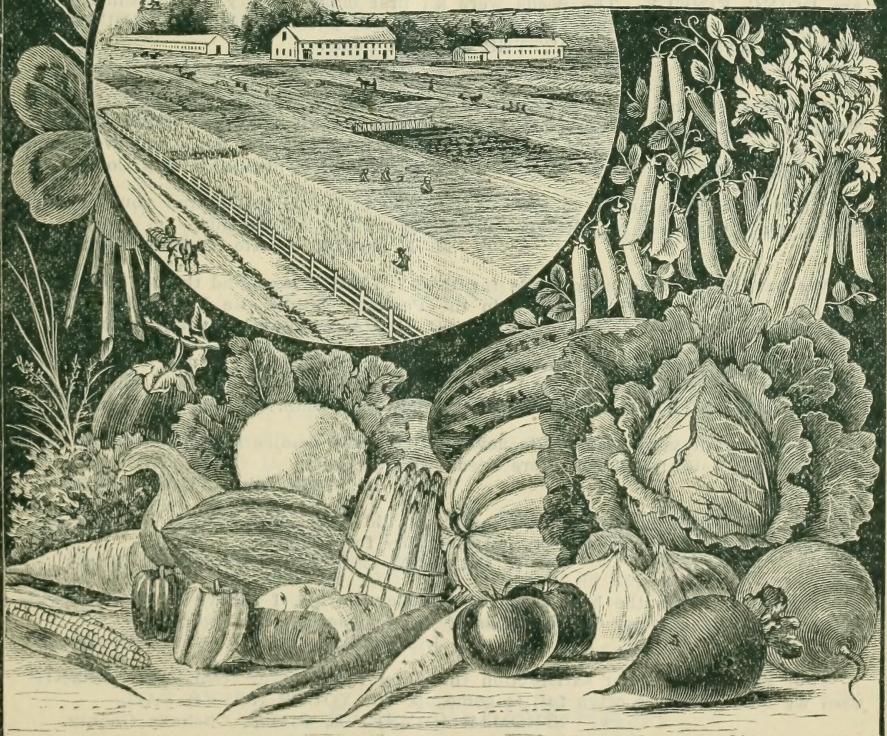
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THIRTEENTH ANNUAL
SEED CATALOGUE
Puget Sound Seed Gardens

A. G. TILLINGHAST
LA CONNER, WASH.



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FROM OUR CUSTOMERS

Only a Few of the Many Unsolicited Testimonials Received During the
the Past Year

ABOUT OUR SEEDS

ELEVEN years ago I received your Price List for the first time. You have received my order every spring since EXCEPT ONE. That spring I sent East to get "CHEAP SEED," but they were the dearest I ever bought. I HAD NO GARDEN THAT YEAR. Your CABBAGES and RADISHES are EXCELLENT, and the—. Well, no use in trying to tell which is best, for ALL ARE BEST, and YOUR SEEDS are ALWAYS CLEAN, ALWAYS FRESH, and ALWAYS GROW.

J. S. ANDERSON, Forks, Clallam County.

I never had any success in growing ONIONS from the seed until I began to buy my seed from you, and I must say I have had perfect success since in raising ONIONS, and in fact all other vegetables. I will surely always buy of you so long as your Garden Seed gives such satisfaction.

MARY V. FICKETT, Alpha, Lewis County.

I thank you very much for the SUCCESSION CABBAGE Seed. It was lovely. And my garden was a success. This is the eleventh order I have sent you, and I always expect to patronize you. My RUBY TOMATOES could not be beaten anywhere.

MRS. ETTA BRIDGES, Hoquiam, Chehalis County.

I am pleased to inform you that the APPLE TREES you sold me last spring are DOING FINELY. The Seeds were all first class. Every one germinated. I formerly got my Seed East, but hereafter I will patronize HOME INDUSTRY—FOR IT PAYS—as you get BETTER seeds at home.

A. M. CLYNICK, Marietta, Whatcom County.

Your Seed is the best and surest to grow we ever tried. The VEITCH'S AUTUMN GIANT CAULIFLOWER were admired by all who saw them. Thanks for the Trial Package of Bond's Early Tomato, but they did not do as well with us as your RUBY.

F. O. EKSTEDT, Brownsville, Kitsap County.

I had great satisfaction in your WININGSTADT CABBAGE and your ONION Seeds, and I shall not be without your Seeds while I am farming.

M. J. BOYLE, Ozette, Clallam County.

We have been using your Seeds for MANY YEARS, and find them THE BEST of any. There are MORE SEEDS in the Packets, besides the FREE SAMPLES.

C. B. DAVIS, Latah, Spokane County.

The Seeds purchased of you are all doing well. In fact, yours is the BEST SEED that I have ever used, and I expect to continue using it.

CHARLES MILTON BUCHANAN, Agency Physician, Tulalip Ind. Agency.

We still want your seeds. We never fail to grow a nice garden since we used your Seeds. It beats all the Store Seeds we ever got.

VITAL DUPREE, Alpha, Lewis County.

The MANGLES bought of you last year did fine. The Sample Package you sent me was the best I ever grew, and especially for table use.

E. R. GRAHAM, Cathlamet, Wahkiakum County.

I like your Seeds the best of any I have ever tried. I believe every Seed will grow. I have bought my Garden Seeds of you for the last four years.

H. J. HARTER, Delight, Adams County.

Your Seeds give better satisfaction than any I have ever tried. The PARSNIP Seed we buy elsewhere often fail to come up, but YOURS NEVER FAIL.

THOMAS J. O'NEILL, Satsop, Chehalis County.

TO OUR CUSTOMERS

LA CONNER, SKAGIT COUNTY, WASH., January 1, 1898.

TO OUR MANY FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS:

Another HARVEST has ended, and again the SEED TIME is at hand. We had more orders last year than any previous year, for which we thank you. To provide for the same steady, healthy growth in future as we have had in the past, we have just built a large NEW SEED STORE, with room and conveniences for handling a still larger business. We have advantages here that we could not have in a large city. In our Gardens and Trial Grounds we can see how our seeds grow, develop, and produce, and by a lifelong experience as Seed Grower and Gardener we can know better than a city dealer can what our seeds are and what kinds and varieties are best for this climate.

We also test many novelties each year, as offered by other Seedsmen, placing in our list only such as we find by practical personal experience to be better than the old kinds.

We shall continue to send out FREE TRIAL Packages, as usual, and will do all we can to deserve your continued patronage. If each one of you will favor us with an order for the Seeds you need this year, and also please hand the extra Catalogues to others who need Seeds, you will give us the increased business we are ready for in our NEW SEED STORE, where we are prepared to fill all your kind orders, large or small, with care and promptness, and send you better Seeds than you can find elsewhere. In this way we can help each other.

HOW TO GET OUR SEEDS

WE DO NOT send out Seeds C. O. D., nor on COMMISSION, and they ARE NOT to be found for sale at the stores. We send them POST PAID BY MAIL, at prices named, and guarantee safe arrival to you. Look over this Catalogue carefully, and mark with a pencil all that you want, then make out on the order sheet, or any other paper, a list of all the kinds and quantities that you have selected. Write your NAME AND ADDRESS PLAINLY and send the order to me with the money enclosed. Remember that you are entitled to any twelve 5c. packages for 50c., or any twenty-five for \$1 (YOUR OWN SELECTION), or thirty packages for \$1 (OUR SELECTION).

HOW TO SEND MONEY

If the amount is ONE DOLLAR OR MORE, send by POSTOFFICE MONEY ORDER on LA CONNER P. O.; or if not convenient to a money order office, you may send EXPRESS MONEY ORDER, BANK CHECK, or REGISTERED LETTER (in either case at my risk and expense, deducting the cost of money order or registry fee).

If the amount is LESS THAN ONE DOLLAR, you may send COIN or POSTAGE STAMPS in common letter, securely sealed, and plainly addressed, without registering.

BE SURE that all orders and checks are drawn to the order of A. G. TILLINGHAST, LA CONNER, WASH., and all coin should be wrapped with a small piece of cloth or strong paper, or otherwise secured from shaking around loose in the envelope, and stamps should be kept dry and carefully folded within the letter or order sheet.

DO NOT DELAY, but make out your order now, while you think of it, and have the Seeds on hand when the planting time comes.

Yours Very Truly,

A. G. TILLINGHAST,

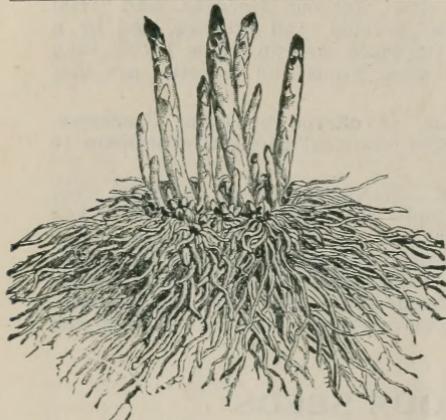
LA CONNER, Skagit Co., Wash.

DESCRIPTIVE PRICE LIST FOR 1898

CHOICE SELECTIONS FOR WASHINGTON AND PUGET SOUND

Prices INCLUDE POSTAGE except when otherwise noted. When sent by Freight or Express or delivered at our Seed Store, 9 cents per lb. may be deducted from Mail Prices.

All Seeds Carefully Tested, So We Know They Will Grow



ASPARAGUS

Asparagus is one of the earliest of spring vegetables. Ready for the table when we are just planting most vegetables, and weeks before the earliest green Peas are ready, it is more delicious than any Peas. Being a native of the seacoast, it does well in Western Washington, is easily grown, and a bed once started will last for many years. It should have a place in every garden. It is easy to grow from seed, but it saves one or two years' time to buy the roots. A bed 15x50 feet should give an abundant yield for an ordinary family and would require about 100 plants. Do not delay starting an Asparagus bed any longer, but put it out this year and have it growing.

Conover's Colossal — The standard variety, large and good, and very prolific. Best kind for family use.

Palmetto — Produces a moderate number of very large shoots of fine quality.

Columbian Mammoth White — Produces white stalks of large size. Most valuable for market or canning.

Prices of Asparagus Seeds—Oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.

Prices of Asparagus Roots—50c per doz.; \$1.50 per 100; by freight or express, \$1 per 100.

BEANS, BUSH

Lb., 25c; 1/4 lb., 10c; pkg., 5c.

Challenge Dwarf Black Wax — This is the earliest of all the wax beans. It is ready for use a week before any other kind we have tried, and it is of the best quality for snap beans. Plant a few of these for earlier use and some of the following for a succession.

Improved Golden Wax — An improvement of the old Golden Wax which has been so popular for years past. Possesses all the good qualities and is larger in pod and more prolific.

New Golden Eyed Wax — One of the best; its pods or leaves never rust or spot like some others, and it is blight proof. Entirely stringless, flesh tender and of excellent quality and flavor.

Marblehead Early Horticultural — One of the earliest Beans grown, and also excellent for shell or string beans.

Early Carmine Padded Dwarf Horticultural — This is a great improvement over the old well known Dwarf Horticultural. It is much earlier has bright red large pods, and large beans of superior quality for cooking when shelled, even after they are nearly ripe, and is the best kind for cooking with green corn for succotash. They are fit for use for a longer time than any other bean we have tried.

BEANS, POLE

Lb., 25c; 1/4 lb., 10c; pkg., 5c.

Old Homestead — This grand pole bean continues to be a great favorite. It is perfectly suited to this climate. Early as any, and enormously productive. Very large, long pods that cook tender and melting, and when more matured the green shelled beans are excellent.

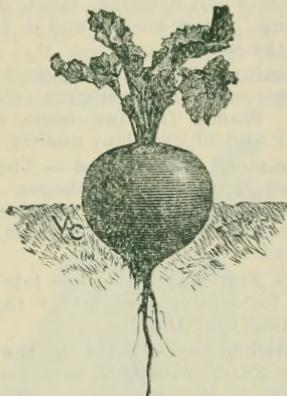
Dutch Case Knife — A little later. Has large green flat pods, good for "snap" or shelled green. The large Lima Beans are too late for our climate, and the Dutch Case Knife is the nearest approach to them of any kind we have been able to mature here.

BEETS

Lb., 50c; oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.

Early Egyptian — Best early table beet. Turnip-shaped and smooth.

Eclipse — Later, but gets larger than the above.



Edmand's Blood Turnip — It is handsomely shaped, not too large or coarse, but of good marketable size.

Long Smooth Blood — The best late winter beet.

MANGEL WURZEL BEETS

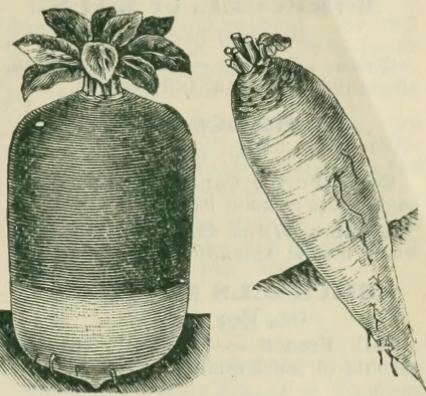
Lb., 35c; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 15c; oz., 5c.

Golden Yellow Tankard — A superior strain of yellow Mangel. Very sweet, firm flesh. Produces enormous crops, and is now used more than any other kind.

Danish Sugar — Larger and smoother than Lane's Sugar. Very sweet and excellent for milch cows.



Norbitan's Giant — Largest red; easiest to pull; excellent for stock.

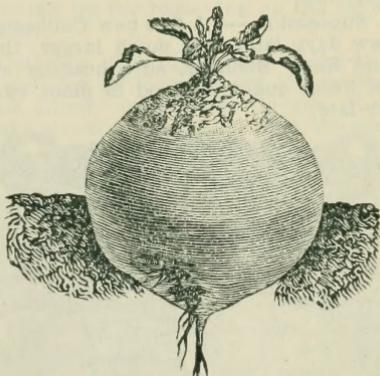


GOLDEN TANKARD

LANE'S SUGAR

Lane's Imperial Sugar — Hardier and contains more sugar than the other kinds. It is a white sugar beet selected for feeding stock.

Chirk Castle — A mammoth red mangel from Scotland, of very fine texture and quality. Seed from large roots, some weighing over 40 lbs.



Yellow Globe — Better than other kinds for sandy or shallow soil. Globular in shape, productive and keeps well. Very smooth and handsome. Grows to a large size on good soil.

All mangels should be thinned out to 18 inches apart in the row, and the rows 3 feet apart, if you would grow large roots. Large ones are quickest gathered and handled, but the small ones are richer in sugar. See page 14.

BORECOLE, or KALE

Oz., 15c; pkg., 5c.

Green Curled — Bright green, spreading and beautifully curled.**BROCCOLI**

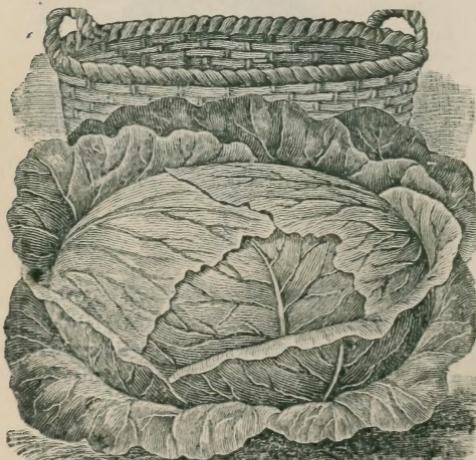
Oz., 25c; pkg., 5c.

Early Purple Cape — Early, compact heads of good flavor.**Autumn White Cape** — Later; large white heads; splendid fall variety.**BRUSSELS SPROUTS**

Oz., 15c; pkg., 5c.

Tall French — Produce compact sprouts of good quality.**CABBAGE**Lb., \$1.00; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 25c; oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.

• I make a specialty of cabbage seed, and greatest care is taken to keep it pure and true to name. I use only large, solid heads to grow seed. There is no better cabbage seed to be found anywhere in the world. If you want to grow large, solid, sure-heading cabbage, use my seed.

Early Jersey Wakefield — This is the very best for early use, or for early market. Solid pointed heads.**Henderson's Early Sumner** — A little later and larger than the Wakefield. Heads flat and stand longer without bursting.**Succession** — A fine new Cabbage, a few days later, but much larger, than the Early Summer, sure heading and of finest quality. Good to plant early or late.

Fottler's Brunswick — A very large, sure-heading second early drumhead. Excellent winter cabbage if planted late.

Early Winnigstadt — A very solid pointed head, medium in size and earliness. If planted late, makes a good winter cabbage. Heads well on land too poor to head other kinds.

Autumn King — A new late Cabbage. Makes large, solid heads. By some it is called the **WORLD BEATER**.

Red Drumhead — A large, very solid, late red cabbage, much used in pickling. Good keeper and a favorite with the ladies.

Premium Flat Dutch — Best for winter use; round or slightly flattened head. Stands freezing well; a good keeper and of excellent quality.

Mammoth Marblehead — The largest and latest of all cabbages. Grows to enormous size, but requires rich soil, good culture and the whole season to head solid.

Late Flat Dutch — A fine late drumhead for winter use, larger than the Premium Flat Dutch.

Netted Savoy — This is the finest of the Savoy cabbages, and a general favorite, of excellent flavor, surpassing that of any other late cabbage. Stands freezing best of all winter cabbages.

Hollander, or Danish Ball Head — A medium sized, very solid head on a long stem. Stands freezing the best of any I ever grew. Is a long keeper, and a good one to ship. The small heads weigh more than large heads of other kinds. Should be planted on good soil, with good cultivation, to secure good sized heads.

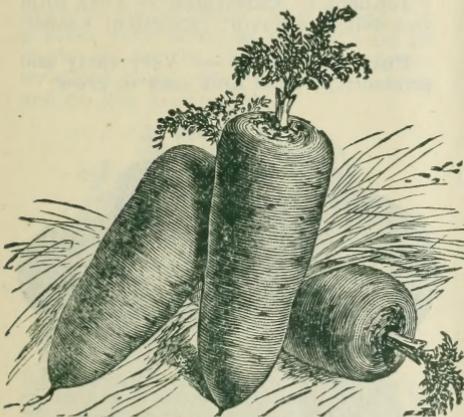
CARROTSLb., 60c; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20c; oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.**Early Horn** — Best for early market or table use.

Oxheart, or Guerande — Short and thick, intermediate between the half-

long and the early horn varieties, three or four inches in diameter at the neck. Of most beautiful color and shape.

Chantenay—Excellent new carrot of the half long class. Great favorite wherever tried. Nearly as large around and a little longer than the Oxheart.

Improved Short White—Great improvement over the long white Belgian, and does not extend above ground as does the old kind. Thick and short, easy to pull, and grows larger than the yellow kinds. Although a splendid stock carrot, it is most excellent quality for the table also.



Danver's Half-Long—Shorter and easier to pull. Great favorite. Very productive and of extra fine quality.

Long Orange—An old, well-known kind, but not much used, as it grows too long and is hard to pull. Yields well; keeps well.

Large White Belgian—A large and very productive stock carrot. The long roots extend above ground, so it is easy to pull, but liable to be injured by sun or frost. Seeds cheapest of any—40c per lb.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 15c.

CAULIFLOWER

Lb., \$15; oz., \$1; pkg., 10c.

My cauliflower seeds are grown on Puget Sound, Wash., from selected heads of the choicest strains, and prove to be much better than seed from any other source. Don't waste time and money on inferior cauliflower seed when you can get this, which is sure to make nice large heads, if you give it proper care.

Early Padilla—A new kind that originated with us. It is earlier, larger and better than Henderson's Snowball, which it resembles, and is an improvement on that well known kind.

Henderson's Early Snowball—One of the best and choicest. My seed is grown directly from Henderson's stock and will be found to be even better than Henderson's sealed packages.

Extra Early Dwarf Erfurt—A very choice, early, small-leaved, large sure-heading variety. Planted late, it is the best kind for autumn use.

Veitch's Autumn Giant—Large late white compact heads well protected by foliage. Oz., 50c; pkg., 10c.

CELERY

Oz., 20c; pkg., 5c.

Crawford's Half Dwarf—Vigorous of growth, solid, good flavor.

Kalamazoo—The most solid, crisp eating and delicately flavored variety. Very large, short and stocky, and of quick growth. Keeps well. Good for family use or for market.

Dwarf Golden Heart—A very popular new variety. Beautiful showy sort; solid, excellent flavor and keeps well during the winter.

White Plume—New variety, with white stalks and leaves. Very ornamental. Does not require so much banking up for bleaching as the other kinds.

Celariac (Turnip-rooted celery)—Grown for its roots, which are cooked and sliced; used with vinegar, they make an excellent salad. They are also used for giving meats and soups the celery flavor. Pkg., 5c; Oz., 15c.

Easier to grow than Celery.

CORN

Lb., 25c; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 10c; pkg., 5c.

The Cory—This is the earliest sweet corn grown, and the best and surest to plant on Puget Sound. Put the hills three feet apart each way, and then cut to two stalks to each hill, and it will ear and fill well. We have the New White Cob.

Early Minnesota—Is larger and later, but not so sure as the Cory. It is well to plant some of both kinds for a succession.

Stowell's Evergreen—Is very large and sweet, but too late for Western Washington. It will mature east of the Cascades and is valuable there for late use and for canning.

CUCUMBERS

Oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.

Early Russian — Very early and prolific.**Early White Spine** — Medium in earliness. Fine for table use.**Long Green** — Late. The best for pickles.**CHICKORY**Lb., \$1; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 30c; oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.**Large Rooted** — Used as a substitute for coffee. Roasted and ground it makes a healthy drink, and grows well in this climate. Cultivate same as carrot. Every family should try it.**ENDIVE**

Lb., \$1.50; oz., 15c; pkg., 5c.

Green Curled — Not only much used as a Salad, but is highly ornamental from its delicately cut and colored leaves. Much used for garnishing.**KOHL RABI**

Oz., 15c; pkg., 5c.

Large Early Purple — Fine and tender.**Large Early White** — Same as above except color.**LEEK**

Oz., 15c; pkg., 5c.

Broad Flag — A large fine kind, very hardy, will stand out all winter, ready at any time for use for soups and salads.**LETTUCE**

Oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.

Black Seed Simpson — Large early. Very nice and desirable; slow to run to seed; tender a long time.

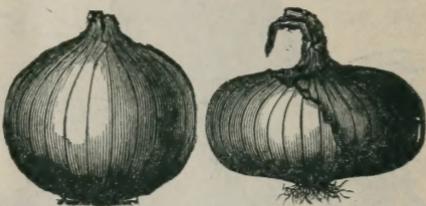
Hanson — One of the very best. Large heads, sweet and crisp.

MUSK MELON

Oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.

Montreal Market Nutmeg — Largest of all the nutmeg melons. Quality good. Valuable for market or for use.**Jenny Lind** — The earliest netted. Small but delicious.**WATER MELON**

Oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.

The Boss — Handsomest and best for shipping or eating.**Johnson's Christmas** — Very solid and delicious flavor. Excellent keeper.**Phinney's Early** — Very early and productive; good and easy to grow.**ONION**

Our Onion Seed has given the best of satisfaction. Many have written us that they never could grow such nice, large, sound Onions with any other seed. See recommendations on pages 2 and 15. The seed is cheap this year, but it is new seed that we know will grow, and is even better than ever before. Onion growers can place the utmost confidence in this seed. No better to be found anywhere.

Oregon Yellow Danvers — A great favorite. Large, round, yields heavy. Early to ripen up, and a good keeper. Best for Puget Sound. All the old onion growers use it. Lb., 85c; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 30c; oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.

Large Red Wethersfield — A pleasant flavor; grows large; keeps well. Lb., 90c; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 30c; oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.

White Portugal, or American Silverskin — A large, white, flat onion of mild flavor. Fine for early use and for pickling. Keeps as well as any of the WHITE onions. Lb., \$1.50; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 50c; oz., 15c; pkg., 5c.

Extra Early Red — A light colored onion. Good keeper. Earliest of all. Lb., \$1.00; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 40c; oz., 15c; pkg., 5c.

Onion Setts — For earliest use. See page 13.



FIRST OF ALL



AMERICAN WONDER

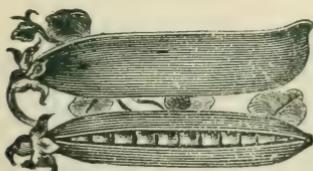
PEASLb., 20c; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 10c; pkg., 5c.

First of All — Best of the hard, smooth, round peas, which can be planted very early, as they are not so liable to rot in the ground as the wrinkled peas. They are very prolific and do not need bushing.



American Wonder — Earliest of the dwarf wrinkled peas. Does not need bushing. Large peas and pods and prolific. Quality extra good: Do not plant it while the ground is cold and wet. It is indeed a WONDER.

Nott's Excelsior — A new kind just introduced. Resembles the American Wonder, but is more prolific and more vigorous, and as good quality. Is the best early dwarf Pea grown.



The Heroine — By all odds the best MARKET late pea. But $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet high, it is loaded with ENORMOUS pods, filled with 8 to 10 large peas of most excellent quality. Every gardener should have this pea. To SEE it is to WANT it.

Juno — A grand NEW pea. About 2 feet high; thick, straight pods, full of large, sweet, delicious peas. Medium early to late. One of the best of the wrinkled peas. TRY IT. You will like it.

New Queen — One of the best of the new peas. Quite late, very productive and of delicious flavor. Large pods and peas of dark green color. Grows $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet high. Well adapted to this climate.

The Morning Star — An excellent early wrinkled pea, and of extra quality. Grows 3 feet tall, yields better than the dwarfs and as early as any.

PARSNIPSLb., 50c; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 15c; oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.

Long White — Large, smooth, sweet. The standard kind. Grown from specially selected smooth roots.

~~Long~~ Parsnip seed one year old will not grow. Don't be fooled on old parsnip seed. There should be parsnips in every garden to use at any time through the winter. They also make excellent hog feed. Swine are very fond of them and fatten rapidly on them.

PARSLEY

Oz., 15c; pkg., 5c.

Champion Moss Curled — The most beautiful kind for garnishing or flavoring.

PEPPERS

Oz., 30c; pkg., 5c.

Golden Dawn — Large, sweet, yellow, productive. Has no fiery flavor, and is excellent for mangoes.

Large Sweet Mountain — Red, mild, much used for mangoes.

Red Cayenne — Small, prolific, hot; used in pickling.

PUMPKIN

Oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.

Sweet or Sugar — Fine grained; excellent for pies.

RUTABAGALb., 50c; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20c; oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.

White French — A large white market variety, sweet, smooth and solid. Good winter keeper.

American Yellow — A large yellow sweet Swede. Excellent for table or for stock.

Skirving's Purple Top — Best for field culture and cattle feeding, and good for market.



RADISH

Lb., 60c; oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.

French Breakfast — Small, oval form, quick growing, mild and tender. Color, scarlet tipped with white.

Chartier — Beautiful long scarlet, white tip, crisp and sweet. See cut.

Long Brightest Scarlet — A beautiful new radish. It grows very quickly and is as good as it is pretty.

China Rose Winter — Best for winter use. Long, solid and tender.

RHUBARB

Lb., \$1.50; oz., 15c; pkg., 5c.

Victoria — Is very large, standard kind. Roots—1 year old, 10c each; \$1 per doz.; \$5 per 100.

SALSIFY

Oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.

A white, carrot shaped root that makes delicious soup resembling oysters in flavor. Easy to grow. Good all winter and late in spring. Can be left in the ground all winter.

SPINACH

Lb., 40c; oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.

Large Viroflay — A new variety, superior to the old round leaf kinds.

SUNFLOWER

Oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.

Mammoth Russian — Flowers and seeds very large. Seeds rich with oil, and valuable to feed poultry.

SQUASH

Lb., \$1; oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.

Early White Bush — The earliest summer squash. Very pretty, scalloped and very productive.

Hubbard — The standard winter squash, old and reliable. Does well here.

Marblehead — Valuable; like the Hubbard, except it is of a pale green color.

Large Summer Crookneck — An excellent new kind for family use or for market. Fine buttery flavor. Prolific and large.

Victor — A new turban shaped squash, very prolific, good quality, thick meated, hard shell, good to market. Keeps as well as any. Easy to grow.

Vegetable Marrow — A favorite English sort. Rich nutty flavor. Fine for cooking when quite young. Grows from 8 to 20 inches long. Better than the other summer squashes.



TOMATOES

Oz., 25c; pkg., 5c.

The Ruby — The earliest large Tomato. Grows with less vine and leaves so the sun can get at the fruit better than other kinds. After further trial this new tomato proves to be the best kind to grow here. Our vines are loaded with ripe fruit every year. All who have trouble in ripening tomatoes should try this excellent kind. See cut above. Also see recommends.

Yellow Plum — Small, plumshaped and early. Nice for preserves.



TURNIPS.

Purple-Top Strap-Leaf — The old standard flat fall turnip.

Lb., 40c; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 15c; oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.

Extra Early Milan — Earliest of turnips. Quite flat, small leaves and small tap-root, with bulb 3 or 4 inches in diameter, of bright red and purple above ground and clean white below, making it very attractive in market.

Lb., 75c; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 25c; oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.



EXTRA EARLY MILAN

White Egg — Large, early, sweet, good, smooth, egg-shaped.

Lb., 50c; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20c; oz., 10c; pkg., 5c.

TOBACCO

Oz., 20c; pkg., 5c.

Connecticut Seed Leaf — Hardy, the best for this latitude. Excellent kind for smoking.

HERB SEED

5c per pkg.

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| Anise | Lavender |
| Caraway | Marjoram (sweet) |
| Coriander | Sage |
| Dill | Summer Savory |
| Horehound | Thyme |
| Rosemary | Wormwood |

POPULAR FLOWER SEEDS

Prices—Packages 5c; six for 25c; fifteen for 45; the whole collection of 20 kinds, 50c.

Acroclinium—The most beautiful of the everlasting. Red and white mixed.

Ammobium—Pure white. Fine for bouquets if gathered before fully bloomed.

Asters—The finest varieties mixed. You will find them choice.

Alyssum Sweet—Very fragrant white flowers. In bloom a long time.

Balsam—Camelia flowered; double mixed colors.

Carnation—Finest mixed. Most magnificent of the pinks.

Helichrysum—Very strong, large, rich-colored double flowers. Easily grown. Everlasting.

Marigold—African, double, mixed, very showy; easily grown.

Mignonette—Most popular flower grown; no garden complete without it.

Nasturtium—Half hardy annual; blooms profusely all the season. Many brilliant colors mixed. Choicest dwarf. 1 oz. for 10c.

Petunia—Mixed colors, profusely blooming, hardy.

Pansies—Choicest mixed, large flowered, beautiful.

Phlox Drummondii—A beautiful showy annual. All colors mixed.

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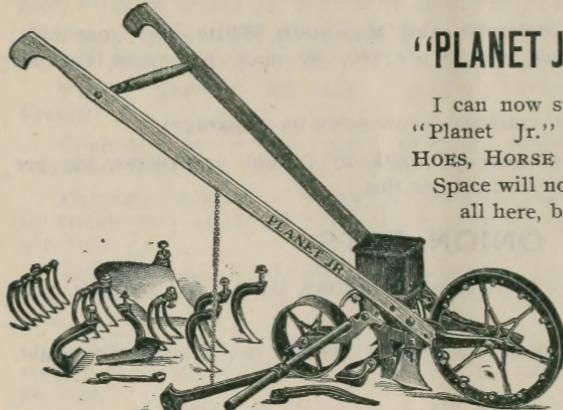
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